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APLN. NO.: 10/787,252
FILING DATE: February 27, 2004
TITLE: SYNTHETIC GRASS WITH
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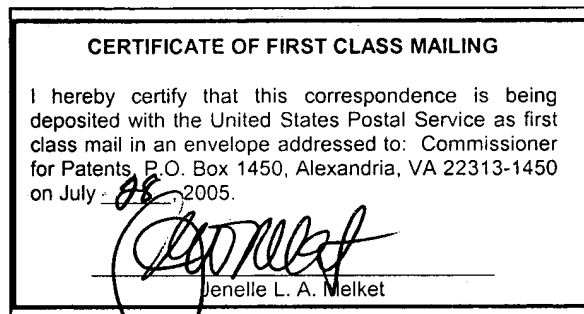
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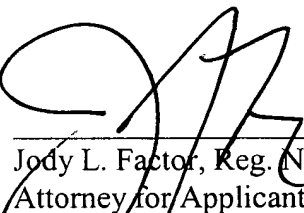
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FIELDTURF (IP) INC., a Canadian corporation having a principal place of business at 8088 Montview, TMR-Montreal, Quebec, Canada H4P 2L7, hereby revokes any and all prior powers of attorneys heretofore filed, and appoints Jody L. Factor (Reg. No. 34157), Michael D. Lake (Reg. No. 33727), Edward L. Bishop (Reg. No. 39110), William J. Lenz (Reg. No. 44208), Joseph M. Kinsella Jr. (Reg. No. 45743) and Nick S. Lee (Reg. No. 54260) and the Law Offices of FACTOR & LAKE, LTD., 1327 W. Washington Blvd., Suite 5G/H, Chicago, Illinois, 60607, its attorneys, with full power of substitution and revocation, to prosecute this application, to make alterations and amendments therein, to receive all documents issued by the Patent and Trademark Office thereon, and to transact all business in the Patent and Trademark Office connected therewith, such power to be exercised separately or collectively by said attorneys.

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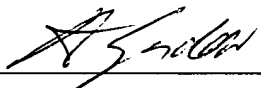
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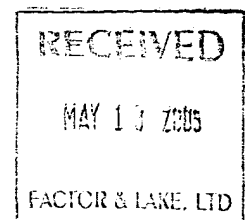
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BRIEF: ASSIGNMENT OF ASSIGNOR'S INTEREST (SEE DOCUMENT FOR DETAILS).

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of Inventor(s)

*** (Given Name FAMILY NAME (ALL CAPS)) ***

WHEREAS, Jean PREVOST

(hereinafter designated as the undersigned) has (have) invented certain new and useful improvements in

Insert Title
of InventionSYNTHETIC GRASS WITH RESILIENT GRANULAR TO SURFACE LAYER

for which an application for Letters Patent of the United States of America has been executed by the undersigned (except in the case of a provisional application).

Insert Date
of Signing of
Applicationon September 2, 2004; andInsert Name
of AssigneeWHEREAS, FIELDTURF INC.Insert Address
of Assigneeof 8088 Montview H4P 2L7 TMR-Montreal Quebec CANADA

its heirs, successors, legal representatives and assigns (hereinafter designated as the Assignee) is desirous of acquiring the entire right, title and interest in and to said invention and in and to any Letters Patent(s) that may be granted therefor in the United States of America and

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NOW, THEREFORE, in consideration of the sum of Ten Dollars (\$10.00) to the undersigned in hand paid, the receipt of which is hereby acknowledged, and other good and valuable consideration, the undersigned has (have) sold, assigned and transferred, and by these presents does sell, assign and transfer unto said Assignee the full and exclusive right to the said invention in the United States of America, its territories, dependencies and possessions and the entire right, title and interest in and to any and all Letters Patent(s) which may be granted therefor in the United States of America, its territories, dependencies and possessions, and if the box above is designated, in any and all foreign countries;

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The undersigned agree(s) to execute all papers necessary in connection with this application and any continuing, divisional, conversion or reissue applications thereof and also to execute separate assignments in connection with such applications as the Assignee may deem necessary or expedient.

The undersigned agree (s) to execute all papers necessary in connection with any interference which may be declared concerning this application or continuation, division, conversion or reissue thereof or Letter Patent(s) or reissue patent issued thereon and to cooperate with the Assignee in every way possible in obtaining and producing evidence and proceeding with such interference.

The undersigned agree(s) to execute all papers and documents and to perform any act which may be necessary in connection with claims or provisions of the International Convention for the Protection of Industrial Property or similar agreements.


The undersigned agree(s) to perform all affirmative acts which may be necessary to obtain a grant of a valid United States of America patent(s) or a grant of a valid United States of America and any foreign patent(s) to the Assignee and to vest all rights therein hereby conveyed to said Assignee as fully and entirely as the same would have been held by the undersigned if this Assignment and sale had not been made.

The undersigned hereby authorize(s) and request(s) the Patent and Trademark Office Officials in the United States of America and in any foreign countries to issue any and all Letters Patents resulting from said application or any continuing, divisional conversion or reissue applications thereof to the said Assignee, as Assignee of the entire interest, and hereby covenants that he has (they have) the full right to convey the entire interest herein assigned, and that he has (they have) not executed, and will not execute, any agreement in conflict herewith.

The undersigned hereby grant(s) the law firm of Birch, Stewart, Kolasch & Birch, LLP the power to insert on this Assignment any further identification which may be necessary or desirable in order to comply with the rules of the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office for recordation of this document.

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In witness whereof, executed by the undersigned on the date(s) opposite the undersigned name(s).

Date <u>Sept 2, 2004</u>	Name of Inventor <u></u> (signature) Jean PREVOST
Date _____	Name of Inventor _____ (signature)
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SERIAL NUMBER: 10406813

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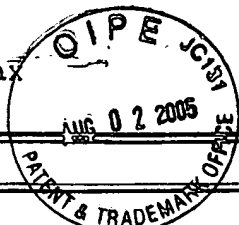
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PATENT NUMBER: 6689447	ISSUE DATE: 02/10/2004
TITLE: ARTIFICIAL SURFACE WITH INTEGRATED THERMAL REGULATION FOR SPORTS AND OTHER USES	

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**Loi canadienne sur
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FIELDTURF (IP) INC.

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Name of corporation-Dénomination de la société

Corporation number-Numéro de la société

I hereby certify that the articles of the
above-named corporation were amended:

Je certifie que les statuts de la société
susmentionnée ont été modifiés:

- a) under section 13 of the *Canada Business Corporations Act* in accordance with the attached notice;
- b) under section 27 of the *Canada Business Corporations Act* as set out in the attached articles of amendment designating a series of shares;
- c) under section 179 of the *Canada Business Corporations Act* as set out in the attached articles of amendment;
- d) under section 191 of the *Canada Business Corporations Act* as set out in the attached articles of reorganization:

- ☐ a) en vertu de l'article 13 de la *Loi canadienne sur les sociétés par actions*, conformément à l'avis ci-joint;
- ☐ b) en vertu de l'article 27 de la *Loi canadienne sur les sociétés par actions*, tel qu'il est indiqué dans les clauses modificatrices ci-jointes désignant une série d'actions;
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Director - Directeur

October 1, 2004 / le 1 octobre 2004

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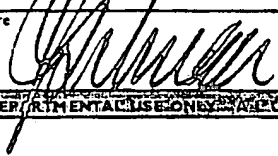
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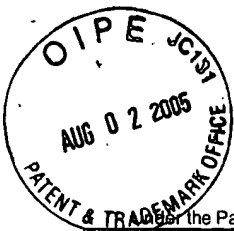
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